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Romulus City Council To Ask Wayne County for Road Study

By Susan Hurt

At its regular meeting held on Monday, August 10, the Romulus City Council resolved to ask both the Romulus and Taylor police departments to request a County road study of Ecorse Road, especially at its intersections with Inkster Road and Middle Belt Road. Council also resolved to ask for stricter enforcement of existing traffic regulations at the Ecorse-Inkster intersection. The primary reason for the request is the amount of I-94 freeway traffic exiting onto westbound Ecorse, ignoring the "no left turn at Inkster" signs on the ramp, and attempting to cut across two lanes of traffic to get into the left-turn lane at Inkster Road.

This is only part of the problem at the intersection that borders both Romulus and Taylor. Residents have noted a great increase in traffic in recent years; the speed limit is 50 miles per hour (mph); and the traffic is primarily heavy trucks (semis) competing with automobiles.

However, the greatest hazard seems to be the potential lack of visibility for traffic from eastbound Ecorse attempting to turn left onto northbound Inkster. This lack of visibility can occur when opposite – or westbound – Ecorse traffic is obstructed by a large truck (see "A" in diagram at right) waiting to turn left – or south – onto Inkster. The truck hides not only westbound Ecorse traffic, but also exiting I-94 freeway traffic that is merging at high speed with westbound Ecorse (see "B").

The Ecorse-Inkster intersection was the scene of another accident on Saturday, August 8. Miraculously, everyone survived what could have been a tragic incident involving a semi hauling-trailer, double-bottom gravel-train, and two cars.

The stretch of Ecorse close to Middle Belt was the scene of an accident a week earlier. A young woman was seriously

injured when she was struck by another vehicle as she attempted to push her disabled vehicle off the road. Contributing factors appeared to be the rain and lack of any lighting in this high-speed area.

Residents in the area feel that there are periods when accidents happen every day. If they hear an ambulance, "It's a good bet that it's at the corner," they have said.

Romulus police were most helpful when it came to trying to get information to present to the City Council. Lieutenant Robert Brown of the Traffic Department wasn't able to produce the numbers requested, but was quick to agree that Ecorse Road and the two intersections were high accident areas. He added that the Middle Belt-Wick Road and Middle Belt-Eureka Road intersections were trouble spots, also.

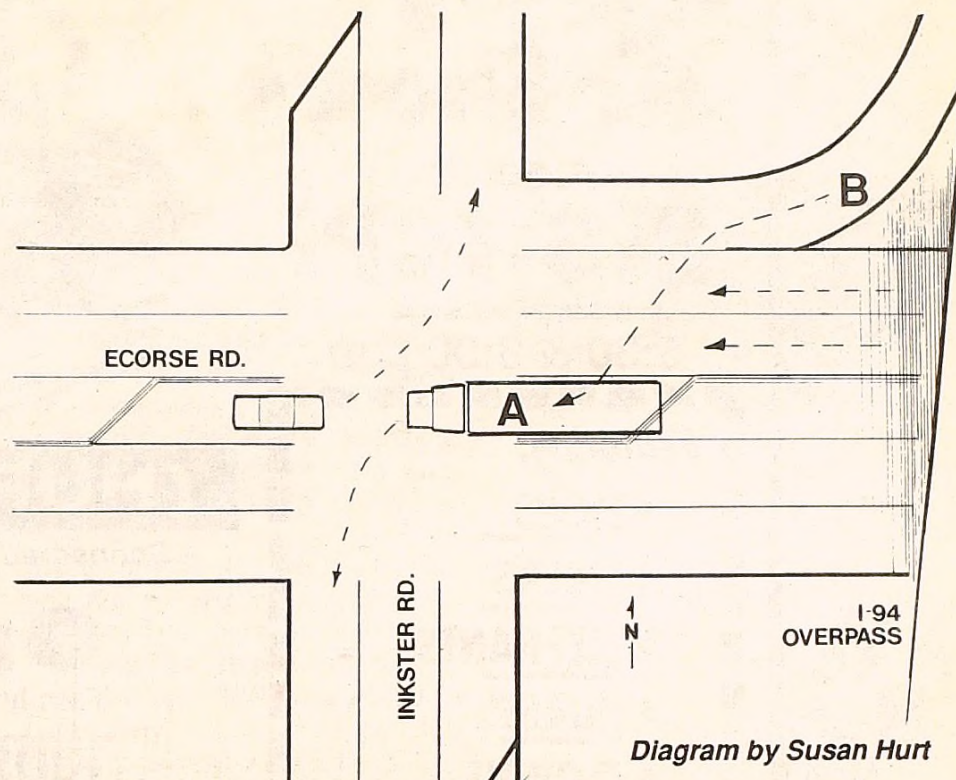
The Lieutenant offered to have his department concentrate on the Ecorse-Inkster intersection for the next week and see what steps need to be taken to cut down on the accidents.

Taylor police said that collecting the data concerning accidents at the intersection had to be done manually, and was too time-consuming. They suggested contacting Wayne County.

The Wayne County Road Commission Traffic & Safety Department could offer no statistics, and suggested calling SEMCOG (Southeast Michigan Council of Governments). Wayne County also stated that requests for studies had to go through the local police departments.

When SEMCOG was contacted, the information officer said that the information was available from the State Police, but would cost \$70 to obtain. The officer suggested calling the State Police, and confirmed that the issue must be brought

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Fund Raisers Will Benefit Romulus Woman

By Ray Tolman

Two fund raisers have been planned for Christy Taylor, a 19-year-old Romulus native who was severely injured in an automobile accident at 11:15 p.m. on Wednesday, July 15, 1992.

Taylor, a waitress at Romulus' Memories Again Lounge, was in the process of moving furniture to a new apartment when her car ran out of gas on Ecorse between Inkster and Middle Belt roads.

According to Memories Again owner, Al Acker, as Taylor and a friend were in the process of pushing the car off the road, Taylor was struck by a passing pickup truck and pinned between the two vehicles. Both of her legs were crushed. Acker added that, according to police, the pickup's speed was estimated at 35 miles per hour, and that no drugs or alcohol were involved.

Organizing the fund raisers for Taylor will be Gina Acker, 25, who is the manager of Memories Again.

Said Gina, "The first benefits will be two barbecues, set for Friday, August 14, and Saturday, August 15, from 4 to 9 p.m. The cost will be \$10 per person, with all the proceeds going to the Christy Taylor Trust Fund that we've set up at the National Bank of Detroit (NBD)."

The barbecue benefits, to be held at Memories Again (located at the corner of Ecorse and Inkster roads), will feature one chicken or a half-slab of ribs, a vegetable, a salad, and a nonalcoholic beverage.

According to Gina, the second fund raiser will be a jamboree, slated for Sunday, September 20, from noon to 2 a.m.

There will be a \$5 cover charge for this event, which will also take place at Memories Again.

"During the jamboree," continued Gina, "we'll have another barbecue for all the participants. We'll also hold a raffle, and the entertainment will be provided by local club bands, which will be donating their time on Christy's behalf."

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Immediately following the traffic mishap, Taylor was rushed to Wayne's Annapolis Hospital and, from there, was airlifted to Ann Arbor's University of Michigan Hospital, where she is currently being cared for in the facility's trauma unit.

"Last Tuesday (August 4, 1992)," stated Acker, "Christy underwent 19 hours of reconstructive surgery. It was already her tenth operation. I'm afraid she faces a very long period of recovery."

Candi Silvey, 22, a co-worker of Taylor's, recently talked to her. Taylor informed her that the doctors predict a period of at least one year of physical therapy after all surgeries are completed.

Said Silvey, "She emphatically told me, 'No way!' and said that she'd finish up in six months, tops."

Those unable to attend the fund raisers, but still wishing to help, may send donations to the NBD branch at 31062 Ecorse Road in Romulus. Envelopes should be marked to the attention of "Memories Again in Trust for Christy Taylor," and checks and money orders should be made payable to "Christy Taylor Trust Fund."

For further information, call Memories Again at 292-3330. □

Circus = Miles of Smiles

The arrival of the Franzen Brothers Circus on Thursday, August 20, will mark a unique opportunity for families to enjoy an evening of good, old-fashioned fun and benefit their community at the same time, since part of the revenue from all ticket sales will go to the Romulus Chamber of Commerce to fund projects of benefit to the area.

The circus will be held at the same site used for the annual Romulus Michigan Week Festival each May; parking will be off Olive Street, south of Bibbins, only.

Two shows will be presented: the first at 5:30 p.m., the second at 8 p.m. Guest ringmaster for the first show will be former Detroit Tiger pitcher Denny McLain; Mark Lewkowicz, Chamber president, will serve as guest ringmaster for the second show. Tickets are \$5 each when purchased in advance or \$6 at the door; children two and under get in free. (Win free family passes! See page 4 for details.)

Other attractions will include a petting zoo, which opens at 4:30 p.m. (admission is just \$2); pony rides (\$1 each) and elephant rides (\$2 each). □

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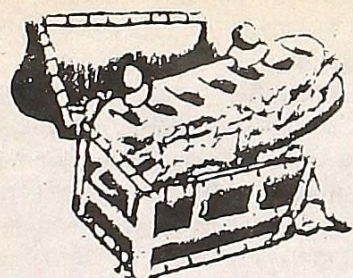
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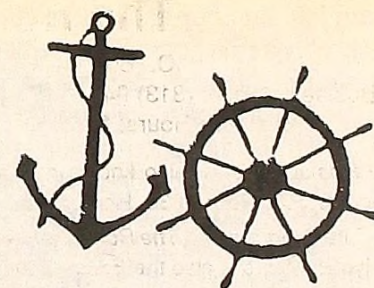
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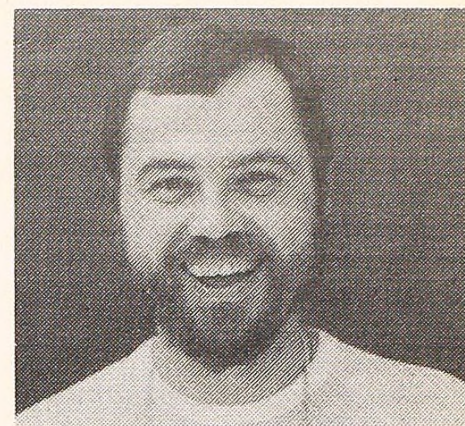
Slow Down and Live

By Tom Shamanski

Recently, as I was wearing apparel and watching my alcoholic cat nip, I suddenly remembered that, when I was a kid, I wanted to be a bullhorn. Occasionally, dreams come true.

Now, here are a few things that we would do well to remember.

- Evenings aboard the *Niña*, *Pinta*, and *Santa Maria* were the original Nights of Columbus.
- Billy the Kid wasn't one to goat.
- If your ears are tired, you're probably in one of those one-sided, "meaningful" relationships.
- If you're in a genuinely meaningful relationship, you've probably never watched *Donahue*, *Oprah*, or *PeeWee Bareman*.
- If you put your VCR on fast-forward and try keeping up with the numbers, you may later have an out-of-body experience at a gasoline pump.
- If you put your VCR on rewind, your out-of-body experience will probably have you watching the latest poll on George Bush's popularity.
- If King Tut's burial place was robbed, it would likely be touted as a Loot of the Tomb.
- If you watch Bill Bonds a lot, you may have been struck by lightning as a child.
- If you're constantly jumping on someone else's bandwagon, then perhaps it's time to start your own motor.
- If you're constantly jumping up and down, you may be of Mexican descent.
- If you were once a child, with luck, you still are.
- If you were once a grown-up, you know the significance of the saying, "Once is enough!"
- If you're from Tallahassee, you just might be a collie.
- If you're a buff buff, you probably go to camp . . . a lot.
- If you know how "probate" got its name, perhaps you should try out for *Family Feud*.



- If you care how "probate" got its name, perhaps you should pay attention when you hear the phrase, "Get a life."
 - If you know your ABCs and can usually count to 10, you may have a promising political career ahead of you.
 - If you want to be President, it's wise to first pay your dues off-Broadway.
 - If you want to become a talent agent, don't advertise in *The Legal News*.
 - If you have the resolve of Ross Perot, there *still* must be a way that you can become rich.
 - If you belong to any group that Bill Clinton hasn't stroked, you probably work for the present Administration.
 - If you work for the present Administration, consider stroking Bill Clinton.
 - If you were the driver on the Bill & Al Bus Tour, you probably work for Greyhound.
 - If you only have time to clean half of your house, just buy "Spic."
 - If no one in your family is camera-shy, you may be living with a bunch of hamsters.
 - If your car brakes go out . . . you may, too.
 - If you remember when Truman was President, you likely go out to a playground when you want to swing.
 - If you insist on drinking and driving, you're not being Budweiser.
- . . . And also remember that the traffic signs reading "slow down and live" also refer to fast foods. □

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Romulus House Restaurant Being Remodeled

By Lynn Carver

If you've gone by the Romulus House this week, you've no doubt noticed a lot of activity not usually associated with a restaurant. That's because, on Monday, August 10, brothers Samer and Basem Suleiman – co-owners of the Romulus House – closed the business for a projected four days of extensive remodeling.

According to Samer Suleiman, everything inside the restaurant (located at 9110 South Wayne Road, at the corner of Wick) will be completely new when it reopens on Friday, August 14.

"When we're done," he said, "we'll have new chairs, tables, and carpeting. It will be a totally new decor."

Previously, the dining area had been divided into two parts by a long partition. By Friday, said Suleiman, the partition will be gone and the dining area will consist of one large room.

"Another thing we're doing," he continued, "is relocating the entrance from the north wall to the west wall. As most of our parking is west of the building, putting the entrance there will make it more convenient for our patrons."

Suleiman, who took over the Romulus House 11 months ago, stated that he has been in the restaurant business all his life. A few of the restaurants where he worked include Archie's Restaurant in Livonia, Dimitri's of Farmington, and the Redford Inn.

"The restaurants that I've worked at were all considered 'family style,'" he said. "That's what we've been doing here, too, and it's what we'll continue to do." Suleiman added that the Romulus House will soon offer children's meals starting at \$1.99 in order to further enhance the restaurant's family theme.

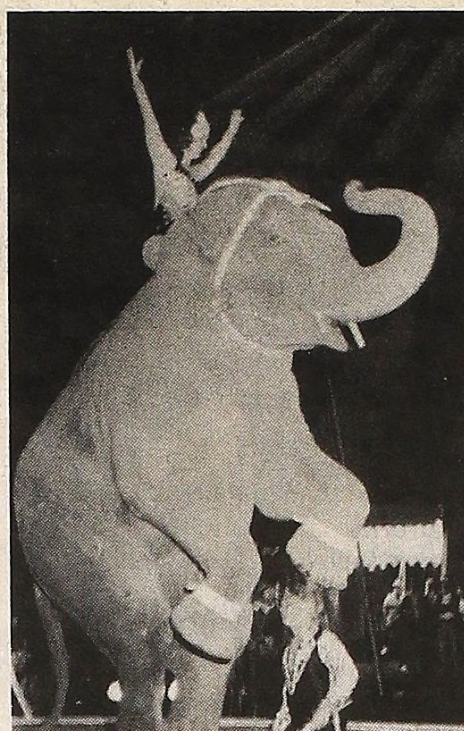
Suleiman further noted that, when he took over the business, many people encouraged him to change the restaurant's name.

Explained Suleiman, "I didn't do that because a restaurant's name is not that important. What counts is how good the food is – and, since we took over, our business has really picked up."

The Romulus House currently offers breakfast, lunch, and dinner specials each day, and carry-out is also available. The restaurant opens daily at 7 a.m., and its current closing time of 8 p.m. will be extended to 10 p.m. at the end of August. For more information, please call (313) 326-7177.

Suleiman and his wife Karen live in Livonia with their five children, who range in age from five to 16. Karen is a nurse at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital.

When asked why he was undertaking the extensive renovations, Suleiman replied, "I'm doing it to please the people. With the restaurant looking much nicer, I would like to see more families coming in and enjoying their meals." □



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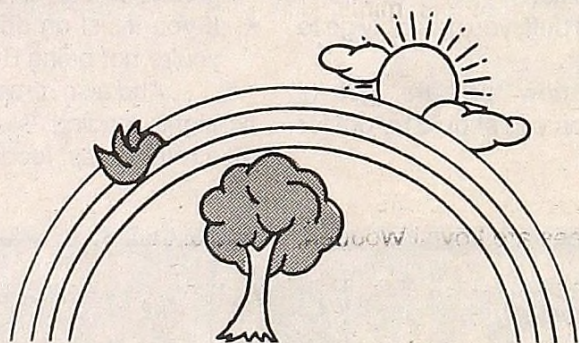
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COUNCIL REQUESTS ROAD STUDY

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to the County by local police departments.

At the Council meeting, all members acknowledged their acquaintance with the area and agreed that hazards do exist.

Councilman William Wadsworth suggested that getting the police to issue several more tickets would go a long way in solving the problem; but, as Mayor Beverly McAnally and others pointed out, tickets would not solve the major part of the problem: namely, the accidents that occur when eastbound Ecorse drivers attempt to make legal left turns but can-

not see oncoming traffic. The Mayor agreed that, when you make a left turn at the Ecorse-Inkster intersection, "you're taking your life in your hands."

It was suggested that left-turn-lane lights might rectify a large part of the problem. In addition, the "no left turn at Inkster" regulation for merging freeway traffic would need to be enforced. Lowering the speed limit was also suggested.

Council members agreed to ask both Romulus and Taylor police departments for their cooperation in requesting that studies be conducted, with prevention of further accidents and fatalities being the primary objective. □



The latest in a series of accidents at the intersection of Ecorse and Inkster roads. Romulus police have tried at length to get the County to take measures which would decrease the dangerous conditions – so far, to no avail.

Romulus Profile: Lovell Wooden, Sr.

By Tom Shamanski

Dr. Lovell Wooden, Sr., was 21 years old when his life forever changed. Wooden, the Bishop and Overseer of Romulus' Beverly House of God Church, located at 34156 Beverly Road, explained what happened on that hot evening in August 1946.

"I was a believer in God before then, but it wasn't until that night, when I attended a tent service given by Evangelists Hilary and Annie Webb, that I became filled with the Holy Ghost and was saved."

Recently, I met with Bishop Wooden, 67, at his church office. A 49-year Romulus resident, Wooden is a large man with a hearty, pleasant voice, who exudes an enthusiasm for life not often seen these days. His office walls are covered with framed certificates and plaques attesting to his numerous awards, citations, and years of training.

Wooden was dressed in grey work-clothes, as he is also – in addition to his pastoral duties – a licensed residential builder and a member of the Better Business Bureau.

Said Wooden, "I've been working continually for 49 years; I guess you could call me a 'workaholic'. People would say that, every time they'd see me, I'd be working."

But it's his work for the Lord that he loves the most, and it's that ministry in which Wooden devotes the majority of his time.

"I love being pastor here," he smiled, "and I love the people that I pastor. I want very much to motivate them to Christ."

"But that's not all," he continued. "I also want to motivate them to be good citizens, to be responsible, and to respect the laws of the land. As best as I can, I try to instill in the hearts of my congregation that everybody is somebody, and we should all help one another."

In 1947, Wooden became an ordained deacon in the House of God Church. The following year, he said, the Lord called him into the ministry.

"I didn't publicly acknowledge my calling until five years later. But, in the meantime, I found myself automatically ministering to the people."

Wooden was ordained as a minister in 1953 by Detroit's Urban Bible College – where, in 1983, he also earned his doctorate of divinity degree at the College's School of Religious Studies.

It was in 1953 that Wooden served as Assistant Pastor to Bishop J.B. Scott at Scott's Detroit church.

"Bishop Scott asked me to come to his church, and I did. While I was there, in addition to pastoring, I trained in leadership, finance, and as a Sunday School teacher and gymnasium supervisor."

In 1959, Wooden was able to use his extensive experience and training when he was asked to serve as pastor at

Romulus' Beverly House of God Church.

Again smiling, Wooden said, "It was a blessing, of course, since I already lived in Romulus. So, I began here – but I also became pastor of another House of God Church in Detroit."

"For the next 17 years, I would spend part of my day in Romulus and part of my day in Detroit."

Because of his obvious devotion to the Lord and his outstanding ability to minister to two churches, Wooden soon achieved the prestigious title of General Overseer and Bishop in the House of God Church movement.

The fact that makes this story truly inspirational is that, in January 1991, Wooden retired from the Romulus Community Schools after 33 years of service as head custodian.

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We then turned to the various events and programs that Wooden presides over in his role as pastor of the Beverly House of God Church.

"On a weekly basis," he said, "we have two Sunday services – one in the morning and one in the evening. And, of course, we have morning Sunday School."

"On Thursdays, we have a noon prayer service, choir rehearsal at 6 p.m., and Bible study at 7:30 p.m. Plus, we provide free transportation to all our services and activities."

Wooden continued by listing annual events that are held at the Church, including a House of God Church General Assembly Meeting, a Sunday School Convention, and a Women's Day Seminar.

Also, in the evenings during the months of October through June, the Church is used as a satellite setting for Bible classes sponsored by Wooden's alma mater, Urban Bible College.

I asked Wooden to discuss some of his many accomplishments as leader of the Romulus church. Perhaps the most outstanding achievement has been his ability to attract worshippers to his flock.

"When I first came to Romulus, we had only five members in the Church. Now, we're somewhere between 75 and 100. We've now got over a dozen men, when, initially, we only had one."

The Bishop then related an incident that occurred some years ago when he was conducting a three-week-long tent revival service. One man was crying, said Wooden, because his wife was ill and was, literally, losing her mind. After prayers were said for her, she was completely healed and is now successfully teaching school.

Community service has always been an important facet in Wooden's ministry. Through the years, he has served on, and chaired, several councils and committees whose work has been dedicated mainly to urban renewal.

Also, Wooden has been active in the credit-union movement in order that he



may better assist the community in financial matters. For three years, he served as the charter president of the Wayne County Citizen's Credit Union.

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And what about Dr. Wooden's future goals for his church?

"Recently," he replied, "I completed a 16-week course in minister outreach training. With this, I hope to implement programs to feed the hungry, to provide transportation for the sick, and to establish senior-citizen outings. Also, I would like to begin training our youth in crafts and trades so that they may become more employable."

The Bishop also hopes to build a Christian senior-citizen building across the street from his church.

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Wooden feels that the Church's staff and trustees do exceptional work, and are an integral part of his ministry. Deborah Street serves as general secretary, Terri Johnson is Church secretary, and "Queen" Esther Sanders is the "much-more-than-capable" choir director.

Besides being pastor, Wooden also serves as chairman of the Church trustees. Other trustees are Lovell Wooden,

Jr.; Felix Robertson; L.S. Conley; Mario Clark; James Averson; and Moe Heister – who additionally serves as Church treasurer.

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Bishop Wooden is married to Earsie Lee, and the couple has six living adult children, 12 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. The children are Grace C., a cosmetologist; Betty, who works in the home; Shelly Ann, a nurse; Debra B., a teacher; Jessica, a teacher; and Lovell, Jr. Daughter Josie Adreen is deceased.

Among his favorite pastimes, Wooden mentioned fishing, traveling, and song-writing.

"When I've got some extra time," he continued, "I also like to simply meet people and exchange ideas and points of view. I like to attend seminars, too, and to lecture to students on the importance of staying in school."

He then noted, "At my home, I fly our flag every day. I'm very proud to be an American."

And, due to his many superb years of service to the community and in the Lord's name, the people of Romulus are surely proud to call Dr. Lovell Wooden one of their own. □

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Romulus' Fleteau Offers Complete Chiropractic Care

By Lynn Carver

Jacqueline Fleteau, Doctor of Chiropractic (DC), chose to locate her practice in Romulus because it was here that she saw an immediate need for her services. On April 1, 1992, she opened her practice — Fleteau Family Chiropractic — at 9231 South Wayne Road in the Wayne Port Plaza.

Said the 36-year-old Fleteau, "My brother, sister, mother, and stepdad all live in Romulus and, because of that, I was quite familiar with the City. When I discovered that Romulus had only one other chiropractor, I felt that I could be very useful here."

She went on to explain that a doctor of chiropractic is a spine specialist who is fully qualified to provide patient care and comfort through the care, treatment, and adjustment of the spine. A chiropractor, Fleteau added, completes at least six years of college education in basic sciences, body systems, and x-ray interpretation, and must pass extensive examinations in order to be licensed.

Besides spinal care, chiropractic services may further include hands-on evaluation of a patient's extremities, individualized care plans, nutritional advice, exercise counseling, and more.

Fleteau, a longtime "Downriverite" who moved to Romulus in 1991, stated that her interest in chiropractic dates back to a 1973 automobile accident in which she was severely injured.

"I was only 17 at the time," said Fleteau. "My mother took me to several medical doctors, but the end result was that, with conventional medicine, I was literally living on pain pills."

"At some point, a friend of my mother's suggested that she take me to a chiropractor. Fortunately, she did — and, soon after, I experienced a complete recovery, with no further need for pain pills."

In 1981, Fleteau graduated from Eastern Michigan University as a medical technologist. During her university stint, she also worked at Detroit's Art Center Osteopathic Hospital, as well as at Taylor's Heritage Hospital.

In 1985, Fleteau entered Life Chiropractic College in Marietta, Georgia. After

graduating in 1990, she became the only female doctor to serve on staff — with full admitting privileges — at Georgia's Woodstock Hospital.

Currently, she is a member of the Michigan Chiropractic Society, the Georgia Chiropractic Association, and the International Chiropractors Association.

When asked to describe a typical first-time office visit, Fleteau said, "Initially, I would take a complete medical history and review it with the patient. A thorough physical examination and x-rays, if indicated, would follow."

"Then, again consulting the patient, I would determine the spinal prognosis and a care program would be set up."

Assisting Fleteau are Lisa Kosikowski, Audrey Murawski, Linda Hicks, and Kathy Perry. They all serve as receptionists and as chiropractic assistants.

As Fleteau plans on being here "for a long time," she would soon like to establish a program to educate Romulus businesses and industries on the benefits of chiropractic care. Presently, she's considering a format of lectures, together with slides and question-and-answer sessions. It would be a good method, she added, to help companies participate in the well-being of their employees.

Much of Fleteau's leisure time is spent with her daughter Melissa, who is four-and-a-half years old. The doctor's mother, Irene, lives in Romulus' Whispering Willows Apartments with her husband, James Butterbaugh. Fleteau's father, Melvin Fleteau, is married to Marge; they reside in Dearborn. Hailing from a large family, Fleteau has four brothers and three sisters, two of whom live in Romulus.

In summing up her role as a chiropractic healer, Fleteau said, "I enjoy my practice because I know I'm helping people. Also, I'm providing the people of Romulus with a viable alternative to conventional medical care."

Office hours for Fleteau Family Chiropractic are from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 3 to 7 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday; Thursday hours are 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.; Saturday sessions are by appointment only. For further information, call 955-7878. □

City of Romulus

NOTICE OF LETTING

BID NO. 92-21

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 P.M. Thursday, September 17, 1992. Bid proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time on the following parcels of city owned land.

SUBDIVISION AND LOT

DP# 1-99-16

Sunnyside Acres Sub. #1

133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192

Romulus Urban Renewal Plat #1

401, 402

Waynecourse Sub.

66, 67, 68, 101, 102

DP# 17-99-9

Grand Park Sub.

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 82, 96, 97, 98, 117, 118, 139, 140, 141, 150, 151, 177, 178, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 206, 207, 212, 213, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 248, 249, 250, 258, 259, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 298, 299

Rodgers Ecorse Estates Sub.

43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56

Ecorse City Community Sub.

183, 184

DP# 68-99-3

The Junction Sub.

Block 2, Lots 61, 62
Block 5, Lots 51, 52
Block 6, Lots 11, 12
Block 23, Lots 41, 42, 43
Block 27, Lots 44, 45
Block 28, Lots 32, 33
Block 29, Lots 4, 5
Block 29, Lots 11, 12, 13

Publish: August 12, 1992

SUBDIVISION AND LOT

Gordon's Detroit Park Sub.

21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125

Buckingham Manor Sub.

50, 51, 52, 65, 66A, 68B, 69

DP# 15-99-57

Wayneview Gardens Sub.

7, 50

DP# 17-99-18

Wayne Ecorse Blvd. Sub.

20, 37, 45, 52

Joe Louis Brooks Sub.

26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 35, 39, 40, 43, 44, 45, 46

DP# 20-99-20

DP# 20-99-44

Ecorse Villas Sub.

E. 1/2 7, 8, 9, 20, 11, 12, 13, 26, 27, 34, 35

Wayne Port Highlands Sub.

48, 49, AND OUT LOT A

DP# 72-99-10-1

DP# 72-99-17

DP# 72-99-19-702

Taylor Road Sub.

6, 7, 8, 9, 10

DP# 120-99-13

Eureka Gardens Sub.

261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282

Romulus Receives Certificate for Excellence in Financial Reporting

A Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting was recently awarded to the City of Romulus by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR). The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management.

An Award of Financial Reporting Achievement has been given to the

individual designated as primarily responsible for preparing the award-winning CAFR. That individual is L. Donavon McGuire, the Director of Finance.

The CAFR has been judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, including demonstrating a constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR.

The GFOA is a nonprofit professional association serving 12,300 government finance professionals. □



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Thank you for demonstrating
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*Your continued financial
support will be appreciated.*

*Sincerely,
Josephine Chapman*

**Paid for by the Committee to Elect Josephine A. Chapman, 34th District Court Judge, 152 Main St., Belleville, MI*

"Summer Storm" Safety Tips Help Prepare for Emergencies

By Margaret Leduc, Emergency Management Director, City of Romulus

Summer is not a time to take a vacation from preparing for emergencies. It can be a time of severe storms involving rain, hail, thunder/lightning, and/or tornadoes, and it is important to keep track of these possibilities. Since the summer is a time for outdoor picnics, boat rides, and fun in the sun, remember to watch the skies for warnings. Before leaving for the day, be aware of the weather forecast; then keep listening to radio stations that broadcast weather and traffic reports regularly. Take radios and maps (for alternate routes) as well as your suntan lotion.

Before Storms

Keep a supply of fresh fruit and vegetables, and other food that can be eaten without cooking. When possible, purchase surge protectors for your major appliances to protect them from electrical surges in lightning storms. Regularly check on flashlights and portable radios, as well as batteries for both.

During Storms

When storms are imminent, close windows; remove small objects that could be missiles in a wind storm. As storms progress, follow the instructions and advice of your local government. If you are advised to evacuate, do so promptly. Shut off your water, gas, and/or electricity before leaving home if told to do so. Use travel routes that are specified or recommended by local government, rather than trying to find shortcuts on your own. This is especially important during flooding, when certain low-lying routes may become impassable.

After the Storm

Listen to local radio or television stations for continuing advisories on ways to help yourself and your community

recover from an emergency. Information will be broadcast concerning where to get assistance. Use extreme caution when entering buildings: they may have been damaged by the disaster. Buildings can collapse without warning.

Check for leaking gas pipes in your home. *Do this by smell only; don't use matches or candles.* If you smell gas: (1) immediately open windows and doors; (2) turn off the main gas valve; (3) leave the house; and (4) go to another location and notify the gas company or call 9-1-1. Don't re-enter the house until you are told that it is safe to do so.

If any of your electrical appliances are wet, call Detroit Edison or 9-1-1.

Use only battery-powered lanterns or flashlights to examine your home for damage, as flammables may be inside (i.e., broken gas lines).

Check food and water supplies before using them. Goods that require refrigeration may be spoiled if electric power has been off for some time. Don't eat fresh food that has come in contact with flood waters. Be sure to follow the instructions of local authorities concerning the use of food and water supplies.

Check to see that sewage lines are intact before flushing toilets.

Report damaged water, sewage, and gas lines to the proper authorities.

If you must use your car, drive carefully along streets and avoid debris. Avoid loose, dangling, or broken wires, and report them to the 9-1-1 emergency line. Don't visit the disaster area, as you may hamper rescue efforts.

Notify your insurance agent or broker if your property was damaged.

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Have a good summer, but don't let your guard down when it comes to preparing for emergencies. □

Miracles Really Do Happen

By Officer Rick Schwarz, Romulus Police Department

On Thursday, August 6, 1992, at approximately 1:45 p.m., Ms. Sandra Murphy of Taylor was stopped on northbound Inkster Road at Ecorse Road for the red light. Sandra had just reached over to adjust her car radio when the lights went out.

A southbound semi truck on Inkster experienced brake failure and entered the intersection, striking an eastbound semi truck and knocking it over onto Murphy's car.

Across the street from the accident scene was Dennis Hyatt, operating a front-end loader. Hyatt immediately drove his loader to the scene and removed the semi trailer from Murphy's car.

Due to the quick thinking of this gentleman, as well as the efforts of other civilians and rescue personnel, Murphy was treated at the hospital and released with only very minor injuries.

Obviously, it's true: miracles really do happen. □

Advertise in the Classifieds: Call 941-3113

ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

36540 Grant Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174

STATUTORY MEETING, JULY 13, 1992

The Statutory Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 13, 1992, was called to order by Superintendent Bedell at 7:15 P.M.

Roll call showed all Members present. All Administrators were present.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wilkerson.

Organization of Board:

Dr. Bedell asked for nominations.

Nominations Opened for the Office of President

Moved by Bales supported by Patterson to nominate Member Wilkerson and moved by King to nominate Member Langley (no support). There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of President was closed. Roll call vote showed: 5 (Wilkerson); 2 (Langley). Member Wilkerson elected President by majority vote.

Nominations Opened for the Office of Vice President

Moved by Bales supported by Wilkerson to nominate Member Patterson and moved by King to nominate Member Langley (no support). There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Vice President was closed. Roll call vote showed: 5 (Patterson); 2 (Langley). Member Patterson elected Vice President by majority vote.

Nominations Opened for the Office of Secretary

Moved by Patterson supported by Wilkerson to nominate Member Kesner. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Secretary was closed. Member Kesner elected Secretary by unanimous vote (7-0).

Nominations Opened for the Office of Treasurer

Moved by Wilkerson supported by Kesner to nominate Member Bales. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Treasurer was closed. Member Bales elected Treasurer by unanimous vote (7-0).

Designation of Depositories:

7/92/1 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education name Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit and Security Bank & Trust to continue as primary depositories and that the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Schools continue to have the authority to sign authorizing documents requiring two of the five actual signatures or facsimile signatures. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Schedule of Meetings:

7/92/2 Moved by King supported by Langley the Board of Education of the Romulus Community Schools schedule their meetings as per the schedule presented for the 1992-1993 school year as amended. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Naming of Auditor:

7/92/3 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education employ the firm of Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel to act as auditors for the Board of Education for the 1992-1993 school year. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Naming of Attorneys:

7/92/4 Moved by Langley supported by Patterson the Board of Education employ the firm of Keller, Thoma, Schwarze, Schwarze, DuBay & Katz, P.C., to act as attorneys for the Board of Education of the 1992-1993 school year. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Adoption of Previous Policies:

7/92/5 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education adopt existing policies of the Romulus Community Schools. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Adoption of Rules of Order:

7/92/6 Moved by Patterson supported by Langley the Board of Education continue to use, as their parliamentary guide, *Robert's Rules of Order*, and that Dr. Terrel LeCesne be approved as the Board's Parliamentarian for the 1992-1993 school year. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Adjournment:

7/92/7 Moved by King supported by Patterson the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:22 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Howard J. Kesner, Secretary
Romulus Board of Education

NETS and City of Romulus To Honor "Homegrown" NBA Stars

The City of Romulus and the Need Education To Succeed (NETS) Organization will host a tribute and celebration in honor of John Long, Grant Long, and Terry Mills on August 22, 1992, at Elmer Johnson Park in Romulus. The celebration will start at 9 a.m.; presentations will begin at 12 p.m.

Romulus Mayor Beverly McAnally will present the former and present NBA stars with an award commemorating their accomplishments in professional sports. All three are graduates of Romulus High School.

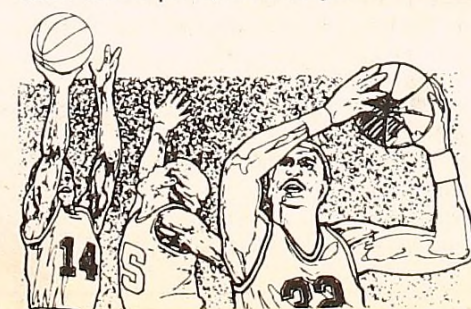
Special invited guests include former Piston, Earl Cureton; Steve Fisher, Head Basketball Coach at the University of Michigan; Ben Braun, Head Basketball Coach at Eastern Michigan University; and Shaler Holimon, former NBA star and gradu-

ate of Romulus High School.

Youths attending will have an opportunity to play games, win prizes, and have autographs signed. The sports celebrities will talk to the youth about discipline, character, and self-esteem.

There is no cost to attend, and everyone is welcome.

For more information, please contact Lorenzo Williams, Event Coordinator, at (313) 354-6768, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., weekdays. □



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Friday: 6 p.m. to 12 p.m.
 Jungle Jim the D.J.
 Saturday: 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.
 Michigan Polka Tels
 Saturday: 7 p.m. to 11 p.m.
 Don Cialkoszewski and His Polish Kid Orchestra
 Sunday: 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.
 Misty Blues
 Sunday: 7 p.m. to 11 p.m.
 The Detroit Motor Sounds

All Proceeds Go To St. Stephen's General Fund

Directions:

Take I-275 or I-75 south to Sibley Rd., go west to Huron River Drive, turn right.

**Attention!
Artists and Crafters!**

The Romulus Arts Council is currently gearing up for its annual Arts & Crafts Fair, to be held on Saturday, September 19, 1992.

This year, the Fair will take place on the grounds of the beautiful, brand-new Romulus Historical Park (located on Hunt Street in downtown Romulus).

Crafters can rent space for only \$12.50. Anyone interested in reserving a space at the Arts & Crafts Fair may contact Gloria Chandler at 941-2678. □



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COMPLETE LINE OF MARKERS AND MONUMENTS

The Copy Deadline For Our August 26 Issue Is Friday, August 21**ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

36540 Grant Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174

REGULAR MEETING, JULY 13, 1992

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 13, 1992, was called to order by President Wilkerson at 7:30 P.M.

Roll call showed all Members present. All Administrators were present.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wilkerson.

Approval of Agenda:

Dr. Bedell recommended the following addition to the Agenda: Under Report of the Superintendent, add addendum to Item I. "Student Transfers".

7/92/8 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Agenda be approved as amended by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

7/92/9 Moved by Langley supported by King the Board approve the Minutes of June 22, 1992, as presented. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Abstain: 2 (Langley, Wilkerson). Motion carried.

Communications and Expressions from the Public:

Mr. Mike Woods discussed resignation and replacement of Athletic Director and building renovations.

Mr. Tom Kowalski discussed taxpayer participation in our local schools.

Mr. Floyd Barnes discussed athletic "politics" and community and Board unity.

Letters were received from Herb and Gail Chandler and Cheryl Hopper regarding Washington field trip at Halecreek and the transfer of Gaye McGinnis out of that building.

Member Bales spoke regarding candy sales for fund raisers and supporting parents in graduation (6th grade) and Washington D.C. trip.

Report of the Superintendent:**Personnel Actions**

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval:

A. Resignations: Fred Coleman, Athletic Director – Sr. High, Eff. 6/25/92; Thomas John, NJROTC Instructor – Sr. High, Eff. 6/29/92. **B. Terminations:** Jeanne Niedermeyer, Prog. Ass't., Eff. 7/6/92; Jill Fleming, Teacher, Eff. 7/6/92; and Helen Willis, Prog. Ass't., Eff. 7/6/92. **C. Salary:** Helen Perkowski, Sec'y to Ass't. Supt., Adjust, 1992-1993 school year.

7/92/10 Moved by Patterson supported by Langley the Board approve the Personnel Actions (Resignations) as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/11 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve the Personnel Actions (Terminations) as recommended by Dr. LeCesne above, Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/12 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve a resolution terminating Lynn Cleary's right to recall and removing her from the seniority list. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/13 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board make an adjustment of \$600 to correct the salary of Helen Perkowski, Secretary to the Assistant Superintendent. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/14 Moved by Bales supported by King the Board reconsider Beth Grevengood's appeal of leave extension denial and grant her travel leave be extended for an additional year. Ayes: 4. Nays: 3 (Hoffman, Langley, Patterson). Motion carried.

Bills for Payment

7/92/15 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve the Bills for Payment as presented by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Revision/Bond Issue Resolution

7/92/16 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board approve the revision of the Bond Issue Resolution at the attorney's suggestion in order to save additional money for the district. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board took a short recess at 8:25 P.M., returning to Regular Session at 8:41 P.M.

Planning Commission Appointment

Member Kesner was selected to fill the Planning Commission appointment.

Lunch Price Adjustment

7/92/17 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board accept the recommendation of the cafeteria management and the business office to increase lunch prices as per the pricing presented. Ayes: 6. Nays: 1 (Bales). Motion carried.

Purchase of Touch Reading Program

7/92/18 Moved by Patterson supported by Langley the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the purchase of a Touch Reading Program for adult/alternate education as per the memo and requisitions presented, said purchase to be made only if the funds are generated by Adult Ed revenue. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

State Aid Review

Dr. Bedell discussed State Aid's effect on district's financial position for next year. No action taken.

Discussion of Retreat

Meeting set for July 29, 1992, at 7:00 P.M.

Student Transfers

7/92/19 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and authorize students James Moore and James Lewis to attend Huron High School beginning September, 1992. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Pregnant Person Agreement

7/92/20 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the agreement presented with the Garden City Schools to provide services for pregnant students. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Memberships – 1992-1993 School Year

7/92/21 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and join the Michigan Association of School Boards; and join the Metropolitan Detroit Bureau of School Studies, Inc.; and join the Michigan High School Athletic Association by adopting the resolution presented; and join the Michigan Out-of-Formula District Association; and that all memberships above be for the 1992-1993 school year. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members: 1) Congressman Ford's Letter – Federal Application; 2) Dolan on MEAP Re-test; 3) Minute Excerpt – WCCC Resolution; 4) News Article – Taylor Golf TIFA; 5) Letter of "Thanks" – Dick Kruse; 6) NCA Approval; 7) High School Counselor Summary; 8) Computers Borrowed by Staff Members; and 9) 1.5 Mill Worksheet.

Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member Bales: Leaky roofs in construction discussed.

Member Langley: Requested Board be notified of construction problems.

Member Wilkerson: Asked about security for buildings under construction.

Member Patterson: How many applicants are there for Athletic Director? Three (3). Next meeting, appoint.

Executive Session – Negotiations

7/92/22 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board convene in Executive Session for purpose of Negotiations. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 9:32 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 10:15 P.M.

Adjournment:

7/92/23 Moved by Langley supported by King the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 10:16 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
 Howard J. Kesner, Secretary
 Romulus Board of Education

ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

36540 Grant Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174

SPECIAL MEETING, JULY 20, 1992

The Special Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 20, 1992, was called to order by President Wilkerson at 7:03 P.M.

Roll call showed Members Kesner and Bales absent (both excused). All Administrators were present.

(Member Kesner arrived at 7:55 P.M.)

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wilkerson.

Approval of Agenda:

7/92/24 Moved by King supported by Langley the Board approve the Agenda as presented by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Report of the Superintendent:

Barton Malow Construction Company

Dr. Bedell discussed contract language provisions with Board Members. Dr. Bedell stated, "We are to use building-level employees to open and close all the buildings when a contractor is working in the buildings."

Discussed rain-water damage at various buildings. Member Wilkerson asked, "Who is responsible for the cost of repair?" Wayne Krupin responded that the contractor, Barton Malow and Romulus Community Schools all were.

Change Orders:

7/92/25 Moved by King supported by Langley the Board approve issuing Change Orders to the following: Heights Heating, Ferguson Steel, Newton & Crane, Ontario Cabinet Makers, Pontiac Ceiling, Rosati Masonry, Westwood Carpentry, McMurray Electric, Simone Contracting, McCarthy Construction, Douglas Steel, Custom Architectural Sheetmetal Specialists, William H. Kelly, Huron Valley Glass, Professional Tile, Foster Flooring, Floor Craft, Prudential Painting, R.E. Leggette, Republic Storage, C & M Associates, C. R. Equipment, Montgomery Elevator and Trane Co. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Abstain: 1 (Kesner). Motion carried.

Contract:

7/92/26 Moved by Patterson supported by Langley the Board award a contract to Dew-El Corporation of Holland, Michigan, for stage equipment (BP #6 - Jr. High Renovations) - \$8,291. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Project Manager's Report

Wayne Krupin reported to the Board, stating that paving projects have been slowed by weather.

Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member Kesner: Asked if schools will open on time. Yes, per W. Krupin, Project Mgr.

Member Patterson: Asked if projects on video. Yes, C. Harrieff is doing that.

Note: On July 27, Members to meet at Wick and look at roof, etc.

Executive Session

7/92/27 Moved by Patterson supported by Langley the Board convene in Executive Session. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 8:19 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 8:37 P.M.

Adjournment:

7/92/28 Moved by Patterson supported by Kesner the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 8:38 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Howard J. Kesner, Secretary

Romulus Board of Education

"Help Lines"

Don't Throw Away the Key

By John Dubosh, MA

Reforming our state's parole system should be a top priority for all of us. Certainly, change is needed at the legislative and correctional levels to make the Parole Board more accountable for its decision-making process. In a recent *Detroit Free Press* article (July 19, 1992), the following reforms were proposed.

- Develop better methods for predicting which criminals pose a threat of violence on parole.
- Restructure the Parole Board so that its members can be fired for making bad decisions.
- Hire more agents to supervise parolees and keep them from crime.
- Enact sentencing reforms to divert nonviolent burglars and other property offenders from crowded prisons.

Even more deserving of our attention is another proposed reform: alerting the public to crises and removing the shroud of secrecy from the parole process.

For example, before reviewing an inmate for release, the Parole Board must, if requested, notify the victim of the inmate's crime within 30 days of the review so that the victim can submit a statement. The victim has the right to meet with the Board members when they re-

view the inmate's file, or the victim can send an attorney. In Wayne County, the prosecutor represents crime victims free of charge.

Eliminating parole altogether, erecting more prisons, and/or enacting harsher penalties for crimes committed would not only be cost prohibitive, but would perhaps deny potential rehabilitative efforts for certain prisoners when indicated.

The public's safety, however, is paramount. Crime victims need a mechanism to assert their opinions and channel feelings in an appropriate manner to regain self-respect and contribute to the much-needed reforms of our parole system. The crime victim's mental health is also at stake. After all, that victim could be you or me.

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"Help Lines," a readers' forum addressing mental-health and substance-abuse issues, is a regular feature of *The Romulus News*. Please send questions and/or mental-health/substance-abuse concerns to: The Romulus Help Center, 9340 South Wayne Road, Suite A, Romulus, MI 48174, Attention: John Dubosh, MA, Psychotherapist. Responses to readers' questions will appear in future "Help Lines" columns. □

News and Notes from the Library

By Ray Tolman

The Romulus Public Library, located at 11121 Wayne Road, has recently been awarded a \$15,000 Federal Library Services and Construction Act grant, with which two personal computers will be purchased.

Since the grant was awarded under a Children's Services division - according to Kim Potter, Youth Services Librarian - one computer will be targeted for preschool- and elementary-age children, while the second will be used primarily by youths in the junior-high and high-school grades. However, adults will also be able to use the computers.

Potter added that the grant monies will also provide software, computer books and magazines, and staff training. The computers will be in place and available for use sometime in the fall.

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In other Library news, Head Librarian Diane Hazen reported that new carpeting was installed approximately two weeks ago. The installation, which involved several hours of moving furniture, covered a four-day period of time.

On Thursday, August 13, the Library will host a Summer Reading Youth Club party. According to Hazen, the festivities will begin at 7 p.m. and will include a magician, refreshments, presentations of awards and certificates, and "special treats."

Currently, the Library walls are covered with cut-out musical notes, each of which represents 30 minutes of reading by members of the Summer Reading Club. Hazen estimated that more than 1,000 notes are now on the walls, with another 300 yet to be hung.

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The Library, currently operating according to its summer schedule, will be closed September 11, the Friday after Labor Day. Saturday, September 12, will mark the commencement of its winter hours: Monday and Tuesday from 12 to 8 p.m.; Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Saturday from 12 to 5 p.m. The Library will be closed on Fridays and Sundays. For further information, please call 942-7589. □

THANK YOU ROMULUS!

Due to faster than expected growth, we found it necessary to obtain larger office space, forcing our move from Romulus. The entire staff at DiPietro & Day, P.C. would like to take this opportunity to thank the citizens of Romulus for their patronage and hospitality during the past year. We look forward to serving you in the future, at our new offices.

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The Wayne County Fair's excitement-packed program, which will continue through August 15, ranges from Monster Trucks to . . . *Bungee Jumping!* The term conjures up visions of wildly insane people breaking the law to jump off the Golden Gate Bridge. Not so, say enthusiasts from the American Bungee Company, which will be at the Fair to jump all adventurous souls who dare to take a plunge from the 150-foot platform.

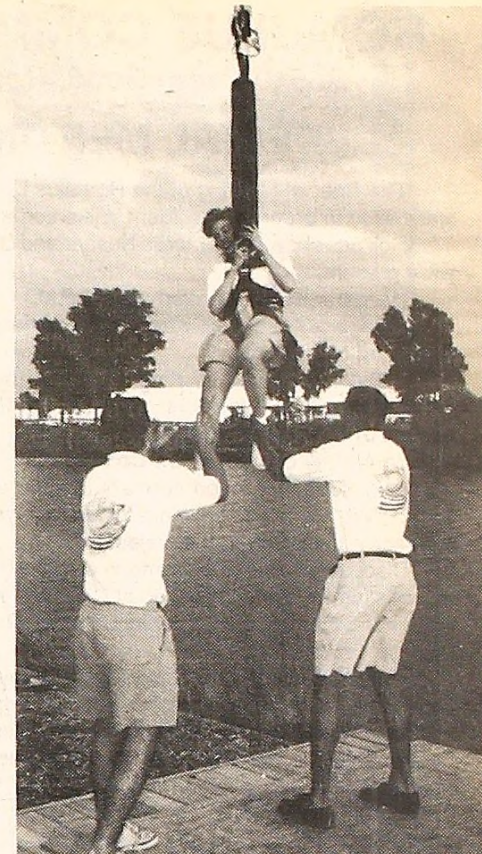
American Bungee runs a safety system approved by the North American Bungee Association, and employs several people who have supervised over 10,000 accident-free jumps.

Bungee veterans say that people who experience nervousness when contemplating a jump can take one (or both) of two approaches to calm themselves. The first is to look forward to the jump, letting the excitement overshadow the

fear. The second calls for a strong will to jump: The jump is mental preparation; the body will follow.

According to one Company representative, a prospective jumper, age 18 or over, signs a disclaimer, then gets whisked away to the harnessing area where the bungee crew fits her with chest and waist harnesses. After the safety talk and double checks of the harnesses, cords, and connections—the crew watches as the jumper steps into the basket and receives instructions from the jumpmaster. The jumpmaster makes one more inspection when a height of 150 feet is reached, and then the jumper steps out onto the platform. She takes a deep breath, leaps out as far as possible, and feels two or three ultimate rebounds before she's lowered to the ground and into the crews arms!

Only the daring need apply! □



ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

36540 Grant Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174

REGULAR MEETING, JULY 27, 1992

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 27, 1992, was called to order by President Wilkerson at 7:31 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Langley absent (excused). All Administrators were present.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wilkerson.

Approval of Agenda:

Dr. Bedell recommended the following amendments to the Agenda: Under Report of the Superintendent, add E. 1. "TIFA Proposal" and Item L. 1. "City of Romulus Recreation Program".

7/92/29 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve the Agenda as amended by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Communications and Expressions from the Public:

There were no communications and expressions from the public this evening.

Report of the Superintendent:

Personnel Actions

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval:

A. Leave of Absence: Debbie McGee, Head Bookkeeper, Child Care Leave Extension, 1992-1993 School Year.

7/92/30 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board approve the extension of leave for Debbie McGee as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/31 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board authorize the creation of a new position within the RASA bargaining unit to be known as the Director of Student Development and Athletics as specified in Letter of Agreement with RASA and to transfer Jesse Meriweather to said position. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Abstain: 1 (Bales). Motion carried.

Bills for Payment

7/92/32 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board approve the Bills for Payment (Ck Registers 7/17 & 7/23), excluding Building & Site, as presented by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/92/33 Moved by King supported by Patterson the Board determine that the water damage is to be solely the responsibility of the contractors (Heights Htg. and Douglas Steel Fab.). Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Construction Contracts – Jr. High

7/92/34 Moved by King supported by Patterson the Board award contracts to the following: R. P. Lewis Co. of Troy, Michigan (\$96,799.78); McFadden Corporation of Lansing, Michigan (\$191,819); Office Interiors, Inc., of Grand Rapids, Michigan (\$28,950.87); and Valley School Supply of Appleton, Wisconsin (\$770.78) for loose equipment (Jr. High – Bid Package #12). Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Hampton Security Agreement Renewal

7/92/35 Moved by Patterson supported by Bales the Board authorize continuation of the agreement with Hampton Security to continue providing night security at the Romulus Senior High School and Community High School. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board took a short recess at 8:15 P.M., reconvening in Regular Session at 8:23 P.M.

City Proposal – Development Plan

7/92/36 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board approve Romulus Community Schools financing (\$17,000) a joint community development office with the City of Romulus, contingent on Board Members receiving and approving the Final Plan. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

TIFA Proposal

7/92/37 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board send a formal letter of support to the TIFA Board approving the amendment of the Airlines Parking Tax Increment Financing and Development Plan, thereby allowing the district to be closed out as stated in Dennis Oakes' letter dated 7/27/92. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

WCCC Lease

7/92/38 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the lease agreement with WCCC as presented for use of classroom space at the Western Campus of WCCC for the 1992-1993 school year. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Pitney Bowes

7/92/39 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board of Education enter into a 51-month lease purchase agreement with Pitney-Bowes for new mailing equipment. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Mt. Pleasant Easement

7/92/40 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board grant an easement to Michigan Bell Telephone Co. for the North 12 feet of the Mt. Pleasant property. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Chamber of Commerce – Use of South Property

7/92/41 Moved by Bales supported by Patterson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and allow the Chamber of Commerce to hold its circus on the South site. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Surplus Equipment Disposal

7/92/42 Moved by King supported by Patterson the Board of Education authorize the administration to dispose of the equipment and materials (list presented) through a garage sale, then donate unsold items to a worthy cause (Nigerian Relief). Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Compensatory Education Budgets

7/92/43 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board adopt the proposed Chapter 1, Chapter 1 Carryover and Article 3 Budgets for the 1992-1993 fiscal year as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Student Transfers/Huron and Ida Schools

7/92/44 Moved by Bales supported by King the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and authorize Justin and Sarah Travis to attend the Huron School District and authorize Timothy Lee Hosler to attend the Ida School District beginning September, 1992. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

City of Romulus Recreation Program

7/92/45 Moved by Bales supported by Hoffman the Board authorize co-sponsorship of summer Recreation Program with the City of Romulus to provide bus transportation related thereto. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members: 1) Novi Letter of "Thanks"; 2) L'Anse Creuse – Letter of "Thanks"; 3) Rakozy Letter of "Thanks"; 4) Dolan Memo – Attendance Figures; 5) Dolan Memo – NHS and Student Government Advisor; 6) EMU Memo – Youth Night '92; and 7) Sub-division Gym Dedication.

Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member Bales: School Within a School – cancelled.

Executive Session – Negotiations/Litigation

This item was cancelled this evening.

Adjournment:

7/92/46 Moved by Patterson supported by King the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:17 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Howard J. Kesner, Secretary
Romulus Board of Education

ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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SPECIAL MEETING, JULY 29, 1992

The Special Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Wednesday, July 29, 1992, was called to order by President Wilkerson at 7:04 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Langley absent (excused) and Member Bales absent. All Administrators were present.

(Member Bales entered the meeting at 7:13 P.M.)

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Wilkerson.

Approval of Agenda:

7/92/47 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve the Agenda as presented by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Dr. LeCesne's memo on incidents in the district and Dr. Bedell's memo addressing Board questions were discussed.

New committee members were selected to serve on the Finance, Policy, and Personnel committees.

Report of the Superintendent

Discussion of TIFAs

Discussion was held on this item.

Principal Manifesto

Discussion was held on this item.

Procedures on Staff Selection

Dr. LeCesne discussed procedures on staff selection with Board Members.

Schedule for Other Discussion

1) Architect Update—Chuck Olson; 2) Construction Manager Update—Wayne Krupin; 3) Travel, Meetings, Conferences, Etc.; 4) Curriculum Director/Technical Person; 5) Repair Person; 6) Third-party Software; and 7) High School—O.B.E. 2nd Technology.

Executive Session—Negotiations

7/92/48 Moved by Patterson supported by Bales the Board convene in Executive Session for purpose of Negotiations. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 9:13 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 9:31 P.M.

Adjournment:

7/92/49 Moved by Patterson supported by Kesner the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:32 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Howard J. Kesner, Secretary
Romulus Board of Education

Teen Talk: Health

RAHC Urges Thorough Sports Physicals

By Kathleen Conway, Director, Romulus Adolescent Health Center

In order for your teenager to participate in sports, he/she must have a physical examination. In too many instances, a typical sports physical includes little more than checking to see that the potential athlete can stand up, breathe, and do a couple of sit-ups. That, too often, puts the young person at serious health risk.

The purpose of the sports physical is to protect the participating athlete. This cannot be accomplished by a casual examination with the student fully or partially dressed.

The Medical Director of the Health Center, Dr. Natalia Tanner, is a strong proponent of athletes having annual health examinations. In 1990, the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) – an organization of 39,000 physicians Nationwide dedicated to the health, safety, and well-being of children, adolescents, and young adults – made recommendations for sports-participation health records. The AAP indicates that a full physical examination should not simply consist of someone signing a form without obtaining a health history and performing a complete physical examination. This complete exam should include a blood-pressure and heart-rate check, urinalysis (analyzing the urine to make sure that the kidneys are functioning properly), and a blood count (to check for anemia).

After a complete sports evaluation, the physician makes one of four recommendations: no participation; limited participation; full participation; or requires correction of a defect or needs support for participation.

The physician or health provider who signs the sports-participation record is legally liable for the student who is involved in school sports activities, intramural or extramural, so the health provider needs to be sure that the young person is indeed in good physical condition to play sports.

The staff at the Health Center is available to do the sports physical for

your potential athlete. The charge for a sports physical is \$12; insurances and Medicaid are accepted. Call the Center to make an appointment or see your family doctor well before the physical form is due to be turned in at your child's school. Make sure that your athlete can play sports for many years to come.

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The Romulus Adolescent Health Center is located in Romulus High School, 9650 South Wayne Road. The Center serves Romulus residents – students and nonstudents – between the ages of 10 and 21, and special-education students to age 26. Children to age five can receive immunizations. Blue Cross, Medicaid, and private insurances are accepted. Fees are affordable and vary according to the patient's ability to pay. No one is denied services if unable to pay. Appointments are usually necessary; some walk-ins are accepted. Parents must sign a consent form for their child to be seen at the Center. Call 941-1400 for appointments or information.

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The Romulus Adolescent Health Center Advisory Council meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 3 p.m. Meetings are held at the High School and are open to the public. □

Financial Planning

Disability Income Protection

By Timothy R. Rosiak, Certified Financial Planner

Mortgage payments. Car payments. Utility and telephone bills. Mastercard or VISA payments. Grocery bills.

These are just some of the financial responsibilities which must be taken care of on a regular basis. What if you were "out of commission" due to a serious illness or accident? How long would you be able to pay these bills? One month? Two months? Would your savings last you six months to a year?

Most people don't like to think about unpleasant things, much less talk about them. So what do we do? Most often, we ignore the possibility of sudden disability – that serious accident or sudden illness that strikes right now, at this moment! – or hope that it happens to someone else.

Most of us take for granted our ability to go out every day to earn a living. A sudden disability takes away your ability to work. Its impact can be worse than death because, when you die, your story is over; you escape. Your family, for better or worse, is left with at least the life insurance that you have provided. But, with disability, you're still here – a living, breathing, nonproducing consumer of your assets. You may tell yourself, "It won't happen to me (I hope)," but statistics tell us that the chances of a disability

occurring during your working years are far greater than the likelihood of death.

Disability insurance is like a parachute. You hope that you never have to use it... but, if you need it, you'd better have it. It's a heck of a lot better to have insurance that you don't use than to need insurance that you don't have.

Especially you self-employed people: Do you have coverage? You had better, because, without the ability to open your doors every day, your business may fail if you don't have protection.

There are many options when it comes to looking at a disability plan, such as what the monthly benefit would be, when the benefits would begin, and how long they would last. By varying these three different areas, you can design a well-rounded plan to fit into your budget.

The important thing to remember is to take control of your life. If a disability does occur, then you have to be prepared for it. Take care of a disability plan before a disability happens to you!

If you would like some quotes on disability protection, please take the time to write, on a 3x5" card, your name, age, occupation, address, and telephone number, and mail it to Tim Rosiak, CFP, at Mutual of Omaha, 39555 Orchard Hill Drive, #345, Novi, MI 48375. □

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(Left to right) Back row: Nicole Armiak and Jacqueline Sutton; Front row: Erica Ligeski, Phillip Marteney, and Kelly Ryan.

By Margaret Shearrer-O'Kelley

MTM Dance Productions, Inc., takes great pride in introducing its dance company and soloists to the community of Romulus and listing their accomplishments for the 1991-1992 dance year.

The MTM Dance Productions Company was awarded a First Place and Overall Small Group/\$100 Cash Prize at Applause; a First Place at Starpower; a Third Place and Fourth Overall Small Group at Star Systems; a Third Place and Seventh Overall Small Group at Rising Star; and a Third Place at Star Power Nationals in Las Vegas, Nevada. The dance company's members—Nicole Armiak, Erica Ligeski, Phillip Marteney, Kelly Ryan, and Jacqueline Sutton—attended Master Classes while at the Nationals in Las Vegas.

Erica Ligeski, with her solo, "Hooked on Swing," placed first at Star Power, second at Applause, fourth at Star Systems, and fifth/fifth overall at Rising Star. With her solo, "Transfiguration," she placed first at Applause, fourth at Star Systems, and fifth at Rising Star, and received a Performing Arts Award at Star Power. At the Las Vegas Star Power Nationals, Erica placed first with "Hooked on Swing" and earned a Championship Award with "Transfiguration." She also won the American Beauty Junior Talent Award with "Hooked on Swing" at the American Beauty and Dance Pageant.

Nicole Armiak, with her solo, "Make You Love Me," earned a second place at Applause, a fourth place at Rising Star, a fifth place at Star Systems, and a Performing Arts Award at Star Power. With her solo, "Save the Best for Last," she earned a third place at Star Systems and a Performing Arts Award at Star Power. At the Las Vegas Star Power Nationals, Nicole won Championship Awards with

her solos, "Make You Love Me" and "Save the Best for Last." At the local American Beauty and Dance Pageant, Nicole won the American Beauty Teen Talent Award with her solo, "Save the Best for Last."

Kelly Ryan won the American Beauty Photogenic Award and the American Beauty Teen Fashion Model Award at the American Beauty and Dance Pageant held at the Romulus Marriott on June 14.

Students from MTM Dance Productions, Inc., have been invited to perform at the Michigan State Fair at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 1. Come on out and cheer for them.

Registration for fall classes at MTM Dance Productions, Inc. (36615 Goddard Road, downtown Romulus) will take place on the following dates: August 17-19, 4 to 7 p.m.; August 20, 5 to 8 p.m.; and August 21, 5 to 9 p.m. If you are interested but cannot come at the above times, give us a call at 942-0120. □



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Obituaries

Arthur H. Dittmar, Sr.

Arthur H. Dittmar, Sr., of Romulus, Michigan, died on Tuesday, July 21, 1992. He was 82 years old.

Arthur — the owner and operator of Bird Dittmar Home Auto Supply — was born in Napkin Township, Michigan, on May 11, 1910. On December 5, 1933, he married Beatrice E. Bird in Dearborn, Michigan.

Arthur is survived by his wife; three sons, Arthur H., Jr. (Farmington Hills, MI), Charles W. (Westland, MI), and David H. Dittmar (Huron Township, MI); two brothers, Edward and William Dittmar

(both of Chelsea, MI); nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Nancy B. Faber, in 1983.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, July 23, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Reverend J.D. Landis (Community United Methodist Church, Romulus, MI) officiating. Interment was at Romulus Cemetery.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Community United Methodist Church and/or Michigan United Conservation Club.

Peggy A. Fyfe

Peggy A. Fyfe, a resident of Romulus, Michigan, died on Saturday, August 8, 1992, at the age of 58.

Employed as a machine operator for the Kerr-Sybron Manufacturing Company, Peggy was born in Bristol, Virginia, on June 28, 1934. Her husband, William Clarence Fyfe — whom she married in Georgia on July 30, 1952 — preceded her in death on May 2, 1990.

Peggy is survived by four daughters, Ms. Mary D. "Debbie" Fyfe (Romulus, MI), Mrs. Ann R. Grodi (Romulus, MI),

Mrs. David (Theresa) Lyall (Dearborn, MI), and Ms. Diane Fyfe (Romulus); seven grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Mary Janice Holt (Honolulu, HI).

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 11, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Pastor Robert Allman (St. Paul Lutheran Church, New Boston, MI) officiating. Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock, MI) was the site of interment.

Memorial tributes may be made to a foundation for the investigation of Alzheimer's Disease.

Vivian A. Laurent

Vivian A. Laurent of Romulus, Michigan, died on Tuesday, July 28, 1992. She was 64 years old.

Vivian, who was born in Chicago, Illinois, on January 21, 1928, married Richard L. Laurent in Grayling, Michigan, on April 7, 1948. A master gardener and member of the Easter Seals Foundation, she had been employed in maintenance with the Meijer Corporation.

Vivian is survived by one son, Charles W. Laurent (Melvindale, MI); two daughters, Mrs. Curtis (Milly) Bondie (Madison

Heights, MI) and Mrs. Robert (Susan) Elliott (Taylor, MI); nine grandchildren; one brother, Kenneth O. Larsen (Texas); and one sister, Mrs. Kathryn Cottrell (Flushing, MI). Her husband Richard preceded her in death on February 1, 1988.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, July 30, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Elder Ruth Winkler (Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ) officiating. Cremation arrangements were made by Tri-County Cremation Services (Ypsilanti, MI). □

Sassy Seniors

By Mary E. Clark

Special thanks to Sheila McGinnis, Manager of the Romulus Tower; Marilyn Masters, Senior Citizens Coordinator for the City of Romulus; and Barbara Schultz, Romulus Senior Center staff member, for contributing information to this issue's "Sassy Seniors" column.

Free Blood-pressure Screening

Romulus seniors can have their blood pressure checked by Community Emergency Medical Service (CEMS), free of charge, at the Romulus Senior Center on the first Monday of every month from 1 to 2 p.m. Call 942-6852 for information.

Special Trips

Manitoulin Island — "Get away from the world" at Manitoulin Island. The \$289 cost (based on double-occupancy rates) of this three-day/two-night trip, which departs September 13, includes round-

trip motorcoach transportation, round-trip ferry transportation on the *Chi-Cheemaun*, a guided tour of Manitoulin Island, two nights' lodging, and two dinners.

Geritol Follies — The upcoming Geritol Follies trip is perfect for those who would prefer to take a shorter trip that's still long on fun. The \$42.50 cost of this one-day trip, slated for September 25, covers round-trip motorcoach transportation, lunch at Chris Berman's Supper Club, shopping at Berman Gift Shop, and admission to the Follies in Toledo.

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BALL ROAD TABERNACLE — 7007 Ball Road / 722-9638

BELLEVILLE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — 11900 Belleville Road / Belleville / 697-8687 / Rev. Deborah Vanleuven Kerr, Pastor / Sunday School — 9:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 10:30 a.m. / Craft Circle — Thursday, 9:00 a.m. / Women's Association Meeting — 2nd Tuesday of each month — 7:30 p.m.

BETHANY APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH — 34584 Beverly Road / 729-4240 / Elder Reginald Williams, Pastor / Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:15 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 7:30 p.m.

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH — 30055 Ecorse Road / 728-1845

BETHANY CHRISTIAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH — 35737 Vinewood / 326-0810 / Rev. Robert L. Gordon, Pastor / Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH — 11338 Ozga Road / 941-0236 / Marvin Hawbaker, Pastor / Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Adult Bible Study — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m. / Wednesday Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — 9426 S. Wayne Road / Office: 721-2585 / Phil Morr, Evangelist / Sunday Bible Study — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m. / Wednesday Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY — 7201 Kempa Street / 729-2283

CHURCH OF GOD-ROMULUS — 8770 S. Wayne Road / Parsonage: 729-7234 / Church: 729-4884 / Rev. Douglas M. Bishop, Pastor / Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Children's Church — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 6:30 p.m. / Family Training Service — Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD JESUS MIRACLE TEMPLE — 36949 Goddard / 941-6070

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH — 6200 Fourth Street / 729-0630 / 837-1302 / Rev. Benny Oliphant, Pastor / Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.

FAITH HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH — Oakbrooke Villa Club House / 30251 Elm Street (1 Block South of Eureka) / Rev. Earl W. Ellison, Sr., Pastor / 941-4855 or 721-8489 / Sunday School — 10:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — 11412 Delano Street / 941-0225

MARTIN TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST — 6566 S. Wayne Road / 326-1270 / Rev. E. Martin, Pastor / Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Worship — 12:00 p.m. / Prayer and Bible Study — Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. / Friday Worship Service — 5:30 p.m.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH — 35565 Beverly Road / 729-2460

PARKS MEMORIAL A.M.E. — 11547 Grover Street / 941-0771 / Rev. Jeffery Baker, Pastor / Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Wednesday Bible Study — 6:00 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH — 35625 Vinewood Street / 728-1390 / Rev. Arthur C. Willis, Pastor / 548-5954 / Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:30 a.m. / Wednesday Bible Study — 6:30 p.m.

ROMULUS FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH — 9900 Tobine / 941-8810

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SAINT ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH — 11280 Ozga Road / 941-5056 / Daily Mass — 9:00 a.m. / Weekend Masses: Saturday — 6:00 p.m.; Sunday — 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m. / Holy Day Masses: Vigil Mass (evening prior to Holy Day) — 7:00 p.m.; Holy Days — 9:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. / Confession: Saturday — 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

SAINT CITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST — 7335 Washington / 595-0629 / Pastor: Elder James Lee Whitehead / Sunday School — 9:30 p.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m. / Sunday Evening Radio Broadcast on WMUZ-FM 103.5 at 7:30 p.m. / Tuesday Evening Bible Study and Youth Night — 7:00 p.m. / Choir Rehearsal — Tuesday, 8:30 p.m. / Friday Evening Family Night — 7:00 p.m.

SALVATION ARMY — 33750 Goddard Road / 941-5100

SECOND MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH — 11242 Grover Street / 941-0330

STAR OF BETHLEHEM SPIRITUAL TEMPLE — 35143 Beverly Road / 326-4777

THE COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH — 11160 Olive Street / Parsonage: 941-3474 / J.D. Landis, Pastor: 941-0736 / Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.

BEVERLY HOUSE OF GOD CHURCH — 34156 Beverly Road / 729-6440 / Dr. Lovell Wooden, Sr., Pastor / Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:30 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 7:30 p.m. / Thursday Prayer Service — 12:00 p.m. / Thursday Choir Rehearsal — 6:00 p.m. / Thursday Bible Study — 7:30 p.m. / Free Transportation for Church Service — Call 729-6440

WAYNECOURSE CHURCH OF CHRIST — 7066 Waynecourse / 722-0454 / Earl Truss, Minister: 326-0918 / James Motley, Associate Minister: 561-3108 / Sunday Bible School — 10:00 a.m. / Sunday Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. / Sunday Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m. / Wednesday Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

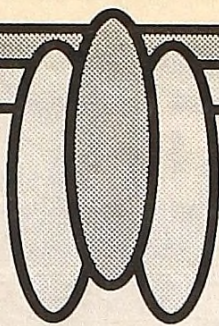
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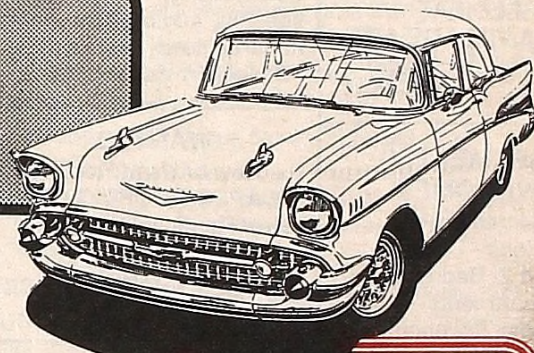


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